## REMARKS

The undersigned attorney thanks Examiner Nguyen for the review of this patent application and the allowance of claims 1-5, 14-28, 39-46, 53, 54 and 78-95.

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejects claims 98, 99 and 101 under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) and rejects claim 100 under 35 U.S.C. §103. Upon entry of this amendment and response, Claims 1-5, 14-28, 39-46, 53, 54 and 78-95 remain pending in this application and claims 98 – 101 are cancelled without prejudice. In light of the cancellation of all of the rejected claims, the undersigned is of the opinion that this application is in a condition for allowance and respectfully requests the same.

If the Examiner believes that there are any issues that can be resolved via a telephone conference, or that there are any informalities that can be corrected by an Examiner's amendment, please call Michael Bertelson at (404) 815-6291.

No fees are believed due at this time. Nevertheless, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due for this Response, or credit

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